

TARGET PRACTICE IN THE AIR - - U.S. coastal artillery
register fine work in "towed target" exercises at
Fort Monroe. -Virginia-

Picture.:- A different sort of air manoeuvre !

The plane is going to drop a trailing air--

--target to give the anti-aircraft guns below some real
practice ! It's a sort of long canvas sleeve !

Artillery officers below watch its progress--

--and in a few seconds--

--guns are trained on--

--the target and--

--firing !

EFFECTS.

As the target--

--moves, so the--

--guns follow with more shells--

--^{then} filled with deadly tracer bullets which travel in--

--all directions from the burst and riddle the target.

No plane could--

--fly unharmed through that barrage ! The accuracy is--

--such greater than--

--any obtained in the last war. American anti-aircraft--

--defences have reached a very high level of destructiveness.
After all, that's what it means !

Let's hope that all they'll be required to do will be
to keep practising !